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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED
UNAVOIDABLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(a)**

The United States Patent and Trademark Office abandoned the above-identified application for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice of action. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office Action mailed 14 January 2003, plus an extension of time.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

1. Petition fee: Large entity-fee \$ 110.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)).
2. Reply to the above-noted Office Action mailed 14 January 2003 is enclosed herewith. The amendment does not add new claims.
3. Statement: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a) was unavoidable because the above-noted Office Action mailed 14 January 2003 was never received and recorded by our firm (please see attached Declaration by Philip Wheeler and Guy P. Smith).

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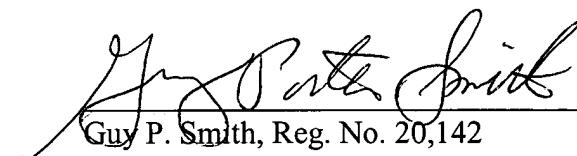
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, or application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, which may be required now or during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 16-2230.

Respectfully submitted,

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